

## HERITAGE ARCHAEOLOGY HISTORY ▼ ASSESSMENT MANAGEMENT INTERPRETATION

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Dear Amber,

## RE: UNSW Health Translation Hub – Randwick Campus Redevelopment Aboriginal Heritage Assessment Report

Thank you for requesting our assistance in the Aboriginal Heritage assessment of the UNSW Health Translation Hub (UNSW HTH) to support a State Significant Development Application (SSDA). The Applicant for the UNSW HTH is Health Infrastructure on behalf of Health Administration Corporation. The UNSW HTH will be an expansion of the Randwick Hospital Campus to deliver new health related education, research and administrative facilities. It will be connected by pedestrian link bridges to the UNSW Kensington Campus and the Sydney Children's Hospital Stage 1 and the Comprehensive Children's Cancer Centre re-development. The UNSW HTH forms part of the Randwick Health and Innovation Precinct.

The site is located to the north of the proposed [in progress] Integrated Acute Services Building and is bounded to the north by High street and to the east by the western extent of Eurimbla Road and in the west by Botany Road. The site consists of 8,897m2 and consists of 9 lots (see Figure 1).

The UNSW HTH site has been the subject of previous comprehensive Due Diligence survey, excavation and salvage by MDCA and the La Perouse Local Aboriginal Land Council (LaPLALC) as part of the investigations conducted for the Integrated Acute Services Building. The MDCA assessment was carried out under a Heritage NSW Aboriginal Heritage Impact Permit. The assessment comprised Archaeological and Aboriginal monitoring of earthworks and a series of machine trenches and hand excavations. A significant archaeological and Aboriginal cultural area containing stone hearths and red ocherous material was identified recorded and salvaged. This site awaits re-assembly, interpretation and management by the LaPLALC and Health Infrastructure offsite. The nature and significance of the site will be documented as part of the overall Hospital Campus redevelopment site (see below In Prep).

## Refer:

- Aboriginal Archaeological Assessment Stage 1 Development and Proposed Future Expansion of The Randwick Hospital Campus Randwick, NSW. Mary Dallas Consulting Archaeologists. 2018. Report to Advisian
- Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment Report. New Acute Services Building for The Prince of Wales Hospital, Randwick NSW. Mary Dallas Consulting Archaeologists. 2018 Report to NSW Health Infrastructure. Incorporating additional information on the ASB SSD expansion. 2019.
- Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Report. New Integrated Acute Services Building for The Prince of Wales Hospital, Randwick NSW. Mary Dallas Consulting Archaeologists. Report to NSW Health Infrastructure. In Prep.



The required consultation under the Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents (2010) has been carried out and completed over the area of the UNSW HTH and is ongoing over other parts of the site under construction. Further community consultation over the UNSW HTH site is not required. No further areas of archaeological or cultural significance were identified within the UNSW HTH site. Further heritage investigations are not required.

Yours sincerely

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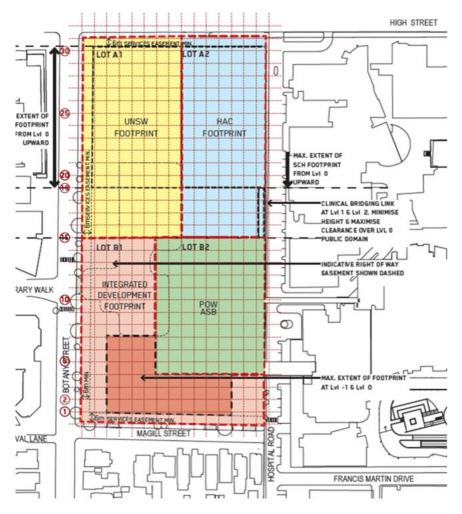


Figure 1 UNSW HTH in yellow.





Figure 2 Test Pit Locations

TP8 at Hearth within proposed UNSW HTH